

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
ABSTRACT**

Public Services – Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Department – Visakhapatnam District - Allegations of irregularities in the execution of works - "Drilling of Bore Wells and Erection with India Mark-II Hand Pump sets by Rural Water Supply & Sanitation in Visakhapatnam District" – Disciplinary action initiated against Sri K.Rama Swamy, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Narsipatnam and now retired from Service and Sri M.Jayaram, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Sub Division, Narsipatnam, erstwhile Visakhapatnam District – Charges framed – Written Statements of Defense of Charged Officers submitted – Appointment of Inquiring Authority – Orders – Issued.

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**PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.VI) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.RT.No. 916**

**Dated: 21-11-2025**

**Read the following:-**

1. From the Director General, G.A.(V&E) Department, Vigilance Report No.07(C.No.97/V&E/Engg/2018) dated 20.02.2024.
2. Govt. Memo No. 2407112/Vig.VI/2024, Dt:25/10/2024.
3. From the ENC, RWS&S Lr No. Vig.I/RWS&S/Vskp/Ankp/V&E Report No.07/2025, dt:05.02.2025.
4. GO Ms No.21 , PR&RD(VIG.VI) Dept., dt:07.03.2025.
5. GO Rt No.142 PR&RD(VIG.VI) Dept., dt.07.03.2025.
6. GO Rt No.143 PR&RD(VIG.VI) Dept., dt.07.03.2025.
7. Letter, Lr.No.Vig-I/RWS&S/Vskp/Ankp/V&E Report No.07/2025, dt.09.07.2025 from the ENC, RWS&S along with WSD, dt.30.04.2025 from Sri M.Jayaram, the then AEE, RWS&S Sub-Division, Narsipatnam, erstwhile Visakhapatnam District received on 07.05.2025.
8. Govt. Memo No.2407112/Vig.VI/2024, dt.29.05.2025 & 23.09.2025.
9. WSD, dt.nil from Sri K.Rama Swamy, the then DEE, RWS&S, Narsipatnam received on 03.11.2025.

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**ORDER:-**

In the reference 1<sup>st</sup> cited, the Vigilance & Enforcement Department officials has reported that, they have enquired into the allegations of irregularities in the execution of works - "Drilling of Bore Wells and Erection with India Mark-II Hand Pump sets by RWS&S Department in erstwhile Visakhapatnam District the petition received from Sri K.Chandra Shekhar, Chodavaram, Visakhapatnam. The DG, V&E recommended to initiate disciplinary action against the officers for their lapses as mentioned in the report reference 1<sup>st</sup> cited.

2. After careful examination of the matter, Government vide GO 4<sup>th</sup> read above, accorded sanction in respect of Charged Officer Sri K.Rama Swamy, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Narsipatnam and now retired from Service duly framing Articles of Charges vide GO 5<sup>th</sup> read above and also framed the Charges against Sri M.Jayaram, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Sub

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Division, Narsipatnam, erstwhile Visakhapatnam District vide GO 6<sup>th</sup> read above.

3. In the references 7<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> read above, Written Statements of Defense of both the Charged Officers have been received wherein the Charged Officers requested to drop the charges framed against them.

4. After careful examination, Government have decided to conduct regular departmental inquiry against the above said Charged Officers and accordingly hereby appoint Sri A.S.A Rama Swamy, Superintending Engineer, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Circle, Visakhapatnam as Inquiring Authority under Rule 20(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 to conduct detailed inquiry against the said Charged Officers.

5. The Inquiring Authority is requested to conduct inquiry strictly in terms of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 and submit his report within one (01) month, as stipulated in G.O.Ms.No.91, G.A.(Ser.C) Dept., dated 12.09.2022. Copies of Charge Memos issued to the Charged Officers and written statements of defense, submitted by the Charged Officers, are furnished herewith to the Inquiring Authority as required under Rule 20(7) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**SHASHI BHUSHAN KUMAR**  
**PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

Sri A.S.A Rama Swamy, Superintending Engineer, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Circle, Visakhapatnam and Inquiring Authority (w.e.) through the Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Department, Vijayawada.

The individuals concerned through the Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Department, A.P., Vijayawada.

The Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Department, A.P., Vijayawada.

Copy to:

Sri B.V.V Nageswara Rao, Executive Engineer, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Division, Paderu & Presenting Officer through the Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, A.P., Vijayawada.

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// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER